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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Kenji KANEKO et al.)	
Application No.: Unassigned)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
Filed: January 21, 2005)	Examiner: Unassigned

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACCURATELY DETECTING ATTITUDE OF MOVING BODY

Commissioner for Patents Arlington, Virginia 22202

Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the date of entry of the national stage in an international application.

A copy of each listed document is attached. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached form. The relevance of the non-English language documents can be understood as follows.

The following is listed on the accompanying PTO-1449 and is in a language other than English.

- 1. <u>Japanese Patent Laid-Open No. 7-218269</u>. The relevance of this document is discussed at page 2 of the specification of the above-referenced application.
- 2. <u>Japanese Patent Laid Open-No. 2001-9772</u>. The relevance of this document can be understood from the PCT Search Report and the discussion at page 1 of the specification.

The relevance of the remaining non-English documents can be understood from the PCT Search Report from the PCT application which the present application is a national stage.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that the listed documents are material or constitute "prior art." If it should be determined that the listed documents do not constitute "prior art" under United States law, Applicants reserve the right to present to the office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents.

Applicants further reserve the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should the documents be applied against the claims of the present application.

Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. §1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.



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50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR

EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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